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Applicant: F. Zucker
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For: MAGNETO-OPTICAL RECORDING OR REPRODUCING
DEVICE
Examiner: K. Chu
10 Art Unit: 2752

AMENDMENT

Hon. Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

15 Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated July
2000, having a period for response set to expire on
October 26, 2000, Applicant hereby submits the following
20 Amendment with the accompanying remarks. Reconsideration
of the application in view of the Amendment is
respectfully requested.

IN THE ABSTRACT

25 Please replace the abstract on file with the
following replacement abstract:

--A magneto-optical recording or reproducing
device having an information erasing means for erasing
information or data recorded on a magneto-optical
recording medium. According to the invention, the
information erasing means comprises an erasing magnet
having a field strength sufficient to initialize the
magneto-optical recording medium without the assistance
of a laser and/or an optical scanning device.--

IN THE CLAIMS

30 Please amend the claims as follows:

Sub 35 1 (Amended) Magneto-optical recording or reproducing
device [having] comprising an information erasing
[facility] means, and, in the case of [a] recording
information, [device, having] a writing device, formed
from a writing magnet and an optical scanning device, for